

CONFIDENTIAL

Chief, London Bureau

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Chief, FBIB

Editorial Personnel

1. It is planned by this office to send [redacted] to the Mediterranean Bureau upon activation of the monitoring station on Cyprus. Consistent with the policy established by this office, the order in which assignment of overseas personnel is made is, among other things, dependent upon the seniority acquired by length of service.

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2. Our records indicate that [redacted] have acquired slightly more seniority than [redacted]. However, a request has been received from [redacted], Assistant Chief of the Mediterranean Bureau, in which he has expressed a desire for the services of [redacted].

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3. You are, therefore, requested to determine and advise whether [redacted] desire employment at the Cairo Bureau prior to their assignment as editors on the Island of Cyprus. It is pointed out that some danger may be connected with duty in Cairo.

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4. The shortage of editorial personnel existing at your Bureau is recognized, and it is not contemplated that transfers will be made without providing you with adequate replacement.

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